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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA MONROE DIVISION

CHRISTOPHER WILLIAMS

CIVIL ACTION NO. 3:09CV0653

VERSUS

JUDGE JAMES

WARDEN, LSP

MAGISTRATE JUDGE HAYES

CERTIFICATE OF APPEALABILITY

A final order having been filed in the above-captioned habeas case, the court, considering the record in this case and the requirements of 28 U.S.C. § 2253, hereby finds that:

_______ The certificate of appealability is DENIED because the applicant has failed to demonstrate a substantial showing of the denial of a constitutional right.

______ The certificate of appealability is GRANTED for the below reasons:

The applicant has made a substantial showing that the following issues constitute a denial

of a constitutional right:

Signed at ______, Louisiana, this _____ day of ______, 2009.

Robert G. James

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE